IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

in re Application of:		Examiner: Duc Q. Dinh Group Art Unit: 2629 Confirmation No.: 1869
Готооhiko SHIMOYAMA, et al.		
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

Introductory Comments

In response to the Official Action dated December 26, 2006, the Examiner is respectfully requested to consider and enter the following amendments: